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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Call et al. Attorney Docket No. MESO0070  
Serial No.: 10/791,189 Group Art Unit: 1743  
Filed: March 1, 2004 Examiner: Douglas, Katherine L.  
Title: BIOLOGICAL ALARM

SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Bellevue, Washington 98004

March 15, 2006

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Supplemental Preliminary Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Preliminary amendment in the above-identified patent application.

X 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

B. Request for Constructive Petition for Extension of Time

It is requested that any concurrent or future reply submitted in the present application requiring a petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) for timely submission be treated as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time. It is also requested that any additional required fees under § 1.17, including all required extension of time fees, be charged to Deposit Account No. 01-1940, thereby constructively petitioning for any necessary extension of time to maintain the present application in a pending state.

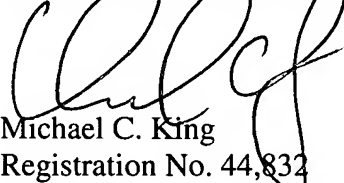
Computation of Fee For Claims as Amended					
	Claims Remaining after Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	26	28	-0-	x \$25	\$ -0-
Independent Claims	5	5	-0-	x \$100	-0-
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					<u>\$ -0-</u>

1 C. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

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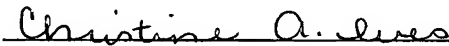
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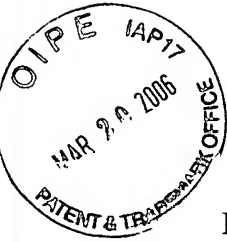
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TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE:

In response to the Office Action dated December 14, 2005, in which the Examiner issued a Restriction in the above-identified patent application, applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as set forth below, and ask the Examiner to reconsider the restriction and the application in view of these amendments and the Remarks that follow. The claims are amended as set forth below.